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Applicant:

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PRICE COMPARISON TO PROSPECTIVE BUYERS

Examiner:

Susanna M. Diaz

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<u>AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116</u> REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Box AF Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on August 12, 2002 and setting a shortened statutory period for response of three months to expire on November 12, 2002.

Applicants petition that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224.

Applicants further respectfully request that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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